

TROOPS OF ALLIES ADVANCE KERENSKY IS BACK IN RUSSIA

CARRY OUT OCCUPATION OF 3 GERMAN CITIES WITH NO BLOODSHED

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, March 8.—Less than 25,000 troops were used in carrying out the occupation of additional territory under the decisions reached at London and effected today, it was stated at the foreign office.

No colonial forces and no negro troops whatever were included in this number, so that the Germans would have no basis for criticism on this ground, it was explained. The occupation was carried out completely without friction.

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, March 8.—The orders for the advance of British troops upon Dusseldorf were issued at the British war office last night, it was reported today. There are 12,000 British soldiers in Germany, of whom 1000 are in Upper Silesia. It is believed the Rhine force will be reinforced to number 12,000.

The morning newspapers, with but one exception, approved the allied decision to penalize Germany for refusing to accede to the allied plan for reparations.

The exception was the Daily News which complained that Premier Lloyd George had "brushed aside the solid German offers making for a peaceful solution of the situation."

The German ambassador to Great Britain will leave for Berlin tonight, it was announced. When asked whether he would return, the German envoy shrugged his shoulders and said he did not know.

During a recent bombardment of workers' quarters in Moscow from artillery placed on the hills overlooking the city, says a Central News dispatch from Helsingfors. Several hundred persons were killed and a number of others wounded.

Over 100,000 men and women, the dispatch adds, now are on strike in Moscow.

The bombardment in Moscow, says the message, followed the call for a general strike, issued by the leaders of the workmen, and a demand for the immediate convocation of a constituent assembly.

(By Associated Press)
MAYENCE, March 8.—The occupation of additional German territory, which the allies had announced they would take possession of as one of the penalties of Germany's failure to meet all the reparations demands, was carried out today by British, French and Belgian troops.

No untoward incident marks the westward move of the allied troops, so far as has been reported. Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort have been occupied.

(By Associated Press)
BERLIN, March 8.—The occupation of Dusseldorf, Duisburg and Ruhrort by the allied forces will not be opposed by the German government, it was indicated here.

Speaking of the allied penalties, a cabinet member stated: "We must bear them with dignity."

Friedrich Ebert, the German imperial president, declared in a proclamation today that Germany was not in a position to use force to oppose the forceful methods of the allies, but nevertheless protested vigorously against what the president declared was an open violation of the peace treaty.

(By Associated Press)
DUSSELDORF, March 8.—The inhabitants of this city were warned

in a proclamation issued by the mayor against taking a provocative attitude toward the allied forces occupying the town. The population was asked to be dignified and quiet.

The proclamation was a gloomy one, but apparently is resigned to the situation.

(By Associated Press)
PARIS, March 8.—France did not seek a break, but the break has occurred, wrote Jacques Bainville, an authority on foreign politics, in Excelsior today, regarding the allied advance.

It may be said, however, that he does not regret it, for, after all, it will bring a solution of the problem, he stated.

WEEKS EXPLAINS POLICY OF WAR DEPARTMENT

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—The policy of the war department under the new administration contemplates the organization of the nation's military forces into "one harmonious, well-balanced and effective army, consisting of the regular army, national guard and organized reserves," Secretary Weeks announced today.

The regular army and national guard will be developed to the strength authorized by law, the announcement said, and the reserves will be organized as divisions and auxiliary troops with full officer complement and sufficient enlisted strength as to be capable of rapid recruitment to full strength.

CANADA ESTABLISHES APPLE-PACKING SCHOOL

(By Associated Press)
GRAND FORKS, B. C., March 8.—The Canadian government, which has expended large sums in the teaching of livestock breeding, grain raising and fruit growing, has added another feature to its campaign of agricultural education by establishing an apple-packing school in this town. Government instructors have been assigned to the unique institution, which is expected to effect a saving of thousands of dollars annually by eliminating waste due to improper packing.

Experts have pointed out that while some of the famous types of apples grown in the province are hardy enough to withstand careless packing, others are frequently damaged while being exported to England and other countries.

RECOMMENDS COLONEL FOR PERMANENT RANK

(By Associated Press)
CAMP LEWIS, Tacoma, Wash., March 8.—Colonel William H. Johnson, who with the rank of major-general commanded the Ninety-first division in France, has been recommended for the permanent rank of brigadier-general by the president, according to word received here. Colonel Johnson commanded Camp Lewis for several months after the

SPLIT RANKS OF INTERNATIONAL LABOR UNIONS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Formal notice of the severance of relations between the American Federation of Labor and the International Federation of Trades Unions has been dispatched to international headquarters at Amsterdam.

The action of the American Federation followed the adoption by the international organization of resolutions in support of the soviet regime in Russia.

HAS BUFFALOES TO DISTRIBUTE

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Does anybody want a bull buffalo? If so, speak up, for Uncle Sam has 20 of assorted sizes and including a frisky one-year calf, to give away.

"Here," says the forest service announcement, "is an excellent opportunity to get a real live buffalo—just as gentle, perhaps, as a kitten, but nevertheless, a nice pet if you have plenty of room to keep him, surrounded by a 12-foot, double-dip wire fence, and the price of two tons of hay a year."

The buffalo are the surplus of the flourishing herd in Wichita national forest, started 15 years ago with 15 head, but now numbering 150. There are too many bulls for domestic tranquility in the herd and you can have one free by paying the cost of crating and hauling.

STANDARD RIG FOR FISH LAKE

According to reports, \$10 and \$15 is being bid for Ranger-Caldwell. That is good news to a lot of Tonopah citizens who hold a good many thousand shares of this stock.

It will also augment interest in the Fish Lake field, where the Fish Lake Merger company is preparing to erect an 84-foot derrick and go after the oil with a Standard drilling outfit complete. The management guarantees to put on a Standard rig or refund all money to its stockholders.

Fish Lake has been favorably passed upon by a number of the leading geologists of the country, and Uvalde Burns, an experienced and successful Texas oil operator, has just completed a careful examination of the field and states the surface indications are the best he ever saw in any field.

Mr. Burns has joined the Merger company and will make Tonopah his home until the field has been thoroughly tested.

Mr. Burns is very enthusiastic and states: "There is no question in my mind but we will bring in the oil at less than 1500 feet, and, in any event, we are prepared to go as deep as may be necessary and have the equipment to do it with."

UTAH PUTS BAN ON CIGARETTES

(By Associated Press)
SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 8.—The anti-cigarette bill, forbidding the sale of cigarettes in Utah, was signed by Governor Mahey today. The bill also prohibits smoking in public places.

DECIDE ON PROGRAM OF SPECIAL SESSION

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—A program for tariff and revenue legislation is to be laid before President Harding by congressional leaders in a few days.

Republican members of the senate finance and the house ways and means committees are to meet and appoint a joint subcommittee to present the formal recommendations. It was decided at the White House dinner last night, members said.

A special message to the senate, requesting the immediate ratification of the Colombian treaty, is being prepared by President Harding, according to reports among the senate which comes in the wake of last night's White House conference.

It was understood that President Harding had accepted the views of Senator Lodge, the Republican floor leader, and Secretary A. B. Fall of the labor department, that action on the treaty during the special session of the senate would be desirable.

NO DISCUSSION ON WITHDRAWAL OF U. S. FORCES

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—The withdrawal of the American forces from the Rhine was not under discussion, Secretary of War Weeks announced after the first meeting of the cabinet today. There had been an understanding after the cabinet meeting broke up that this question had occupied a large place in the discussion.

20 YEARS SERVICE IN ICE HOCKEY GAME

(By Associated Press)
VICTORIA, B. C., March 8.—Ernie Johnson, star of the Victoria club of the Pacific Coast Hockey association, this season is celebrating his twentieth year in the ice game. Recently the Victoria club celebrated "Johnson night" in honor of the veteran.

FOUR KILLED IN IRISH FIGHTING

(By Associated Press)
DUBLIN, Ireland, March 8.—Four persons were shot and killed in engagements between the crown forces and Sinn Féin detachments in southern Ireland last night.

THE WEATHER

Local Observer, United States
Weather Bureau
Temperatures 8 a. m. 'Noon'
Current 38 45
Wet bulb 37 45
Relative humidity 46
Temperatures, Extreme
1921 1920
Maximum yesterday 48 54
Minimum yesterday 28 37
March 14.

APPOINTS HIS PHYSICIAN TO MEDICAL CORPS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—President Harding has appointed Dr. C. E. Sawyer, of Marion, Ohio, the Harding family physician, his personal physician, and expects to nominate him brigadier general in the army medical corps.

Sawyer's commission would follow the custom of years, under which the president's physician has been an officer of the army or navy medical service.

CAN'T FIND WAY TO CHASE WARTS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—Mystic rites of childhood for wart removal, involving shivery midnight visits to lonesome, spook-infested graveyards, the use of a rabbit's left hind foot with proper incantations, and the like, may yet be necessary to chase warts off potatoes.

At least, the department of agriculture has not so far found other means to do the job. Its official watches have steamed, boiled, doused and otherwise assailed the wart with inconclusive results, according to a report just published. They have not given up, however, and still hope to eradicate the plant disease from the country.

Potato wart infection is now limited to a small area in Pennsylvania, due to a 1912 importation of potatoes, which later proved to be undesirable aliens. The experts have tried all sorts of chemical treatment of the soil and even steamed the ground before planting, but without complete success.

GOVERNOR TO GET PLATE OF PURE GOLD

(By Associated Press)
MANILA, P. I., March 8.—A plate of gold is to be presented to Francis Burton Harrison, governor-general of the Philippine islands, by members of the Philippine senate, as an appreciation of the cordial relations which have existed between the upper house of the legislature and the governor-general during his eight years' service as chief executive. The gift is to be presented to the governor-general just prior to his departure for the United States on March 27.

The plate is to be made of pure Philippine island gold and is to cost approximately \$3000. The Filipino flag will be inscribed on the plate, as well as the names of the senators making the gift and a brief testimony of the regard in which the retiring governor-general is held by the members.

JAPAN JUST RECEIVES INAUGURAL ADDRESS

(By Associated Press)
TOKIO, March 8.—The text of the inaugural address of President Harding was received here only yesterday and consumed on it thus far gives no idea as to its general reception.

PACKERS ANNOUNCE BIG WAGE REDUCTION

(By Associated Press)
CHICAGO, March 8.—Wage decreases approximating 12 1/2 per cent and affecting over 100,000 employees of the packing industry in all parts of the country, were officially announced today, to be effective on March 14.

FORMER PREMIER NOW REPORTED DIRECTING ANTI-SOVIET FORCES

CHARGE BRIBERY USED TO DEFEAT TAX MEASURE

(By Associated Press)
HELENA, Mont., March 8.—Information that bribery had been used in the defeat of the tax commission bill at the regular session of the Montana legislature, was made by Governor Dixon in a message delivered today to the legislature when it convened in extraordinary session.

The governor called upon the state attorney and County Attorney Lewis of Clark county to probe the charges.

800 DROWNED IN SHIPWRECK

(By Associated Press)
HONGKONG, China, Mar. 8.—Over 800 Chinese are believed to have been drowned in the wreck of the steamer Nong Moh on Lamock island, off Port Swatow, in Kwangtung province, on March 3, news of which was received here today.

BIRDS WANTED TO KILL GRASSHOPPERS

(By Associated Press)
WASHINGTON, D. C., March 8.—A nice tasty dish of live grasshoppers is much favored in the preferred menus of 25 out of 27 species of birds of which the epicurean peculiarities have been noted by government experts. Farmers are urged to form leagues of war with any tribes of larks, sparrows, meadow larks, Franklin gulls, Arkansas blackbirds, crow blackbirds and common kingbird that show up around the farm, thereby obtaining the services of a vigilant and hungry air patrol against raiding "hoppers." The farmer could show his good faith in the alliance, the experts say, by "killing stray cats and chasing off unscrupulous hunters."

"Probably there are not enough birds in the country to clean up a full-strength invasion of grasshoppers such as western farmers have come to dread," the government bulletin says, "but the birds assist materially in efforts to control the pest."

TURK NATIONALISTS HAVE OCCUPIED BATUM

(By Associated Press)
LONDON, March 8.—Turkish nationalist forces have occupied Batum, says a Reuters dispatch from Constantinople.

CALIFORNIA GETS SWIMMING MEETS

(By Associated Press)
SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Mar. 8.—California tanks and beaches in and near the San Francisco bay cities have been awarded the Pacific Amateur association swimming championship events for 1921.

(By Associated Press)
COPENHAGEN, March 8.—Alexander Kerensky, premier of the Russian provisional government which was overturned by the bolsheviks late in the year 1917, is said in addition received here to be at Kronstadt, the Russian fortress near Petrograd, which is reported to be in revolutionary hands.

Kerensky, it is declared, is directing the offensive against Petrograd, with that fortress as his base.

Many rumors of the overthrow of the Russian soviet government have reached Warsaw.

INFLUX OF LABOR CAUSES CONCERN

(By Associated Press)
MEXICO CITY, March 8.—An influx of American labor to Mexico, especially to the oil regions, is causing much concern to government officials who are receiving complaints daily from Mexican workmen's organizations that the presence of the foreigners is working a hardship on native labor.

It is asserted that unemployment in the United States has caused thousands of Mexicans to return to the republic, many of them in destitute circumstances. Arriving here they find large numbers of Americans holding the jobs which they declare, rightfully belong to them.

Moreover, in the oil fields American labor has practically supplanted native workmen and the charge has been made publicly by labor representatives that the Americans in these regions are fully armed and are on "war basis" for the ostensible purpose of protecting foreign holdings.

A fantastic charge made in this connection is that these workmen are in reality United States soldiers who have been placed here "to watch eventualities."

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"THE VICE OF FOOLS"
A society drama treating with a problem for a girl in love to try to solve

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SHIRLEY MASON in
"MERELY MARY ANN"

—AND—
A Two-Reel Comedy
—COMING—
"OUTSIDE THE LAW"